

**FACT SHEET****CITY OF SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA****TITLE**

An ordinance to revise Chapter 74 Solid Waste, Article III “Regulations” Sec74-54 of the City of Shreveport, Louisiana, Code of Ordinances, relative to the disposal fee per ton of normal waste, and to otherwise provide with respect thereto.

**DATE**

11/22/2024

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT**

Public Works

**COUNCIL DISTRICT**

N/A

**SPONSOR**

No Sponsor

**PURPOSE**

To revise Chapter 74, Article III of the Shreveport City Code relative to the disposal fee associated with normal waste per ton.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

The City contracts with Republic Services, Inc./Allied Waste (BFI) to operate the Woolworth Landfill. The contract allows them to increase their annual fee, based on the CPI, with a max increase of 6%. They have notified the City that the 2025 increase will be \$0.77 more per ton. This ordinance increases the City’s gate fee from \$43.26 to \$44.03 per ton, effective 01/01/2025. Please note that the Republic (BFI) charge applies to all waste entering the landfill, which includes what enters on City garbage trucks.

**TIMETABLE**

Introduction: 11/22/2024  
Final Passage: 12/10/2024

**ATTACHMENTS**

N/A

**SPECIAL PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS**

None

**FINANCES**

\$ increase in  
landfill normal  
waste disposal  
fee per ton,  
increasing  
current fee of  
\$43.26 to  
\$44.03.

**SOURCE OF FUNDS**

Woolworth Landfill Gate Fee

**ALTERNATIVES**

(1) Adopt the ordinance as submitted, or (2) amend the ordinance, or (3) reject the ordinance.

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended the City Council adopt the ordinance.

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